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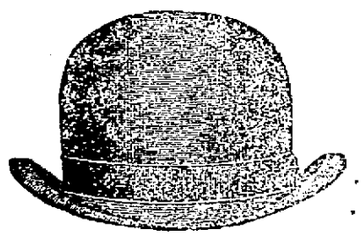

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Men's Heavy Shoes with buckles, worth $1.50 for... 99
Men's Shoes in Congress or Lace suitable for winter only..... 1 24
All of our Men's Heavy Shoes in Lace and Congress worth $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50, for this sale.....$1.24, $1.39, $1.45, 1 49
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UNTIL DEAD

Theo. Durrant at Last Pays the Penalty of the Law.

Declares His Innocence to His Last Breath—Drop Fell at 10:35.

Two Other Hangings—Grosvenor Arrives in Columbus — Maryland Legislature Organizes—Judge Holt, of Kentucky, Dead—Telegraph News.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 7.—The most careful watch by three men is kept constantly on Theodore Durrant to prevent any attempt at suicide. The prisoner showed no disposition that way. He said he would die like a Durrant. He said this morning he would send for a Catholic priest, but did not care for creeds, but for faith, that had sustained him in his awful position. "God has me in His keeping," he said, "and he makes no mistakes." His father and mother are waiting anxiously for news from Washington in hope Boardman may get an order of prohibition or habeas corpus from the supreme court of the United States.

A special from Washington says that Boardman started early to get an order from some member of the supreme court. He expected to call on each one, and failing in this would call on the court itself in session at noon.

Boardman called on Justice Shiras before the court opened. Shiras refused the application, as did also the court when it convened.

Durrant prepared for the scaffold at ten o'clock. He showed no nervousness and was very particular about his dress, even objecting to colored socks. His mother visited him a few minutes before he started for the scaffod.

The trap fell at 10:35. Durrant's last words were, "I am innocent."

O'NEIL HANGED

For the Murder of Mrs. McCloud, at Greenfield, Mass, Over a Year Ago.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 7—John O'Neil, Jr., was hanged in the Franklin county jail today for the murder of Mrs. McCloud, January 8th, last year. Mrs. McCloud was found dead on the road, apparently strangled to death. Money was found in O'Neil's pockets corresponding to the amount Mrs. McCloud was known to have carried. There was strong proof against him.

In Maryland Legislature.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Annapolis, Jan. 7.—Louis Schaefer was elected speaker of the house by delegates upon the first ballot by the union of Democrats with eleven bolting Republicans.

Grosvenor Says So and So.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Columbus, Jan. 7. — Congressman Grosvenor returned to Columbus today and denied the story that he had gone to Washington to consult with Judge Day or anybody else in reference to becoming a candidate for senator in place of Hanna.

Georgia Hanging.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 7.—Tom Cyrus, colored, was executed in the county jail at 11:40 today for the murder of his mistress, Annie Johnson.

Judge Holt Dead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 7.—Judge Homer A. Holt, for many years member of the supreme court, died at his home at Lewisburg this morning.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7.—Wheat, 92; corn, 26¾; oats, 21¾.
Toledo.—Wheat, 91¼.

RUNAWAY BOY

Gets Stranded Here, and Writes to His Parents for Money to Get Home.

A youthful looking hobo applied at Fred Reiniger's office for a postage stamp today to mail a letter to his parents, who, he said, lived at Parkersburg. The boy said he had run away from home and had no money or friends and wanted to write to his father to send him money so he could go back home. He was given a stamp and hustled off at once to mail his letter.

To Get Out a Blue Book.

It is understood that local coal dealers are arranging to get out a "Blue Book" which shall contain the names of "dead beats" and "doubtful pays" who live in this city and vicinity. Many people will be anxiously inquiring, "Is my name written there?

Dressed turkeys and chickens at Corson's Saturday.

A CHANGE

Made in the Firm of the Portsmouth Turned Shoe Company.

A change has taken place in the Portsmouth Turned Shoe company, three members of the firm having disposed of their stock. The three are James M. Lynn, F. E. Duduit, Sr., and A. S. Duduit. Their interest in the firm was purchased by Charles Richardson and C. Tilden Hughes. The firm has been doing a good business and the prospects for an increased trade are very bright.

Bread and Water Sentence.

Will Cropper, a fourteen-year old boy who has caused the police no end of annoyance by his pranks, is looked up in a cell at the station house charged with disorderly conduct. He will be kept on a bread and water diet for two weeks. This is expected to work more reform than any other form of sentence.

Directors of Portsmouth German.

The Portsmouth German Building and Loan association elected the following directors for the ensuing year: F. C. Daehler, Edgar F. Draper, H. Huels, George Padan, Ph. Zoellner, Geo. J. Schmidt, Geo. Sommer, Harry W. Miller and Charles Winter.

Want Pledges Kept.

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—The Tippecanoe club, the central Republican organization of this city, of which Senator Burke and Representatives Mason and Bramley are members, adopted strong resolutions demanding that those members of the legislature keep the pledge of the party and the pledges they gave both in public and private by voting for Mr. Hanna for senator.

Attacked by Strikers.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Fifteen nonunion millwrights were attacked by a crowd of strikers, and when the resulting fight was over five nonunion men were injured.

Attempted Suicide.

Paris, Jan. 7.—Charles Dixon, who is described as a former officer in the United States army, attempted to commit suicide by stabbing himself three times near the heart with a dagger.

Fusion Committee Meeting.

Topeka, Jan. 7.—The Populist state central committee resolved to call a fusion committee meeting for Jan. 11, at Topeka, for a conference of Populists, Democrats and free silver Republicans.

Bates Can Not Escape.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—David E. Bates, the bigamist, was again found guilty, and, as upon the former conviction, the sentence was a fine of $1,000 and confinement in the penitentiary.

May Be a Resignation.

Madrid, Jan. 7.—It is the general belief that the decision not to prosecute General Weyler will lead to the resignation of the minister of war, General Correa.

Baron Von Buelow Decorated.

Berlin, Jan. 7.—At the new palace Emperor William personally decorated Baron Von Buelow, the minister of foreign affairs, with the order of the Red Eagle.

Looking to Washington.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Spain is considering a formal request to the United States to use its good offices to stop the fighting in Cuba.

McCullagh Is Chief.

New York, Jan. 7.—The police commissioners appointed Acting Chief McCullagh as chief of police of this city.

Spain to Be Favored.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—The Dominion government has decided to extend the preferential or reduced tariff to Spain.

Second Term Entered Upon.

Boston, Jan. 7.—Roger Wolcott took the oath of office as governor of this commonwealth at noon for the second term.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows; Available cash balance, $232,955,873; gold reserve, $161,029,305.

Notes.

The minority report of the committee on the judiciary on the bankruptcy bill was submitted to the house.

Delegate Callahan of Oklahoma introduced a bill to attach Indian territory to the territory of Oklahoma and to erect the two territories into one territory.

The attorney general sent to the senate a full statement of the transactions of his office in connection with the proceedings looking to the sale of the Kansas Pacific railroad.

Representative Shafroth of Colorado introduced a bill to amend the copyright law so as to except photographs in publications from the list of subjects which can be copyrighted.

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AGAINST DURRANT

United States Supreme Court Refused to Interfere.

SO DID GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

Consequently the Last Hope of the Murderer of Blanche Lamont Was Dashed to Pieces on the Eve of the Day Set For His Execution—Attorneys Were Diligent to the Last.

San Quentin, Cal., Jan. 7.—Further interference by the United States supreme court in the Durrant case was refused by Justice Brewer in Washington. Governor Budd of California also refused to extend clemency, leaving the condemned man to be executed at 10 a. m.

The federal judges in San Francisco signed a bill of exceptions after deciding that this would not act as a stay of execution. Durrant's attorney tried to bluff Warden Hale into staying the execution, but the attorney general told him to go ahead.

Attorney Deuprey then attmpted to perfect his appeal, but the clerk of the United States circuit court, acting under instructions, declined to accept the necessary delay of appeal, and the attorney's efforts came to naught.

When the condemned man's mother and father saw their last hope vanish they at once started for the prison to be with their son during his last night on earth.

Suicided by Shooting.

New York, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Marion A. Peters, 62, shot and killed herself at her home in this city. Recently she had been declared insane by physicians. Mrs. Peters arrived in this country with her family from New South Wales, Australia, a year ago, and is said to have been wealthy.

Independent Mayor Elected.

Memphis, Jan. 7.—Joseph J. Williams, independent Democratic candidte, was elected mayor of Memphis over Hon. Lucas Clapp, the present incumbent, by a majority of about 500. The entire independent ticket was also carried by reduced majorities.

Marriage a Failure.

Trenton, Jan. 7.—Ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan and Mrs. Barnes-Magowan are said to have separated. Neither Magowan nor Mrs. Barnes-Magowan would see any reporters, but the statement that they have separated is generally accepted by Magowan's friends.

Chicago to Be Lexowed.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 7.—A caucus of the Republican members of the senate decided upon an investigation of the Chicago police, and a resolution providing that the president of the senate appoint a "Lexow" committee of seven was adopted.

Money Decided Upon.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 7.—A joint Democratic caucus to nominate a United States senator to succeed Senator George was held in representative hall. Hon H. D. Money was nominated by acclamation. The caucus sat exactly 15 minutes.

Prominent Man Suicides.

New York, Jan. 7.—William T. Buckley, who, until Jan. 1, was a member of the dry goods firm of Dunham, Buckley & Company, shot and killed himself in a little boathouse adjoining his residence in Wavercrest, L. I.

Icehouse Collapsed.

Hamburg, Mich., Jan. 7.—The mammoth ice houses in course of erection at Whitmore Lake, near here, collapsed. Two hundred men were at work on the buildings; two are known to have been killed.

Farmers Should Be Exempt.

St. Paul, Jan. 7.—The Farmers' alliance of Minnesota met here, and Ignatius Donnelly declared that of right the farmers should be exempt from taxation as the producers of the wealth of the country.

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

The meeting of the Garfield club Wednesday night was the thinnest thing politically that has taken place in Portsmouth for many a day. With the exception of perhaps a dozen business men it was made up of boys and the most arrogant and confirmed gangsters and chronic office-seekers. These men pin their success to the success of the gang. Most of the business men and the real slick politicians of the city were absent. The resolutions are loaded and some of the would-be office-seekers will wish ere long their names had not been there. Their insane desire for office makes them rush in where wise men fear to tread. The whole thing was a farce. If the meetings in Ohio to denounce Bushnell are to be judged by the farce held here, Hanna's cause has fallen into sore straits indeed.

The Times has taken pains to have the conduct of Policeman Heisel investigated and can say to its readers without hesitation that instead of being the means of preventing crime he is the chief criminal in the ward. Innocent young ladies are not only insulted on the streets, but the houses of defenseless women are invaded and their inmates treated to insult, and even assault. To be charitable we will admit that the council is ignorant of the facts, yet, as we said before, if they are ignorant they are wilfully so, for any person desiring to get the information confirming our charges can readily do so. Their action reminds us of a chess board with figures upon it, being manipulated by an outside mind. Their action Wednesday night has placed them, it may be unconsciously, in the position of protecting a man who is using his position to aid him in accomplishing his meditated outrages on the people he should protect. It is either ignorance of the facts, or obedience to the instructions of the gang that has caused the council to pursue the course it has. We prefer to think it is the former. We hardly believe the members of the council could possibly be induced to sustain Policeman Heisel, by the influence of the gang, if they had the facts that are now ready to be laid before them. If he is to be again sustained by the council, young girls and defenseless women are to become victims of his lust without hope of redress, unless they go into the police court. Are the councilmen ready to have the citizens of this city feel that it is necessary for the good and virtuous women—our sisters and our daughters—to go into the police court to get protection from insult and assault by a member of the police force. Has it come to this in Portsmouth? The Times wants to hint that the people in Scioto county did not vote on this question last fall. They cast their vote for Mark Hanna The time has come when the women of this county should vote. Judging from recent events, their brothers, husbands and fathers have forgotten them in their efforts to serve the gang. We predict a revolution in Portsmouth, and we warn the council that they are heaping up coals of fire on their own heads in upholding Heisel. A member of the council said they were tired of having this matter brought before them. We want to say to these gentlemen that the people are not only tired, but they are mad, and if some action is not taken in this matter there won't be a gang councilman elected in this city next April. The gang is in bad odor as it is, and if the council forget that a policeman's duty is to prevent crime instead of being the chief criminal in his ward, public indignation will sweep the gang out of power next spring. Heisel should not only be fired from the force, but should, in addition, be sent to the workhouse for about three months as a lesson to policemen.

Below we give an account of the outrage committed by Hanna to secure a vote for senator. No greater outrage was ever committed. Read the interview with Mrs. Griffith, as published in the Enquirer, and you will blush for shame. It says:

"Really," said she," I would prefer not to speak of the occurrences you wish to know about. Too much has been said of them already, and I am having the added embarassment of becoming an object of public curiosity. After having been frightened half out of my wits, and kept talking politics among a party of strange men all through an entire night, I was obliged to pass through a most unpleasant experience. But if I might avoid doing so I would say nothing more about it."

Mrs. Griffith demurred, but she was finally induced to tell the story of her experience with Mr. Hanna's agents. She told it in the well-chosen words of a bright, educated woman.

"You know, of course," said she, "that I was frightened when Mr. Chapman and Mr. De Peck came to my room. I scarcely remembered what I said or did before I started with them for the Neil House. Mr. Kurtz's words, 'Your husband is an honest man,' kept ringing in my ears, but I was simply half-crazed for fear he should compromise himself in some way before I got a chance to talk to him. You know that Mr. Chapman and Mr. De Peck told me that Griffith had decided to change his quarters and go over to Mr. Hanna's side, and that he wanted me to come to him at once.

"Well, really, he had not decided to change his quarters or go over to Mr. Hanna, and he had not sent for me at all. Mr. Chapman and Mr. De Peck took me around over Third street to the door of the Neil house kitchen, which is in an alley. I said to them: Gentlemen, what do you mean by bringing me to a place like this at this time of night? My husband surely didn't tell you to bring me here.'

"They assured me that it was all right and that I needn't be alarmed. All the time they were rapping on the door with their walking sticks. Their signals did not seem to be understood, however, and they were obliged to take me to the ladies' entrance of the hotel. Mr. Chapman led me through a dark hallway and up a back stairway to the sixth floor. I was so nervous and exhausted and worried that I could not help crying, though I was ashamed of it.

"On the sixth floor Mr. Chapman pointed out a room and said that I was to remain there until my husband came. I went into tthe room and Mr. Chapman went away. Almost immediately a big colored man came to the door and attempted to lock me in. I took the key from him and told him to send my husband to me at once.

"I was a good deal frightened then, although Mr. Bliss and Mr. Gerrish had told me that they would follow me and keep within call until I found Mr. Griffith. As soon as I gained possession of the key the colored man went away. He told me to lock the door on the inside. A moment later Mr. Bliss knocked at the door. I opened it, and he said: 'Mrs. Griffith, when you see your husband tell him I am here. I shall remain where you can call me until you have found him.'

" 'My goodness, Mr. Bliss,' said I, 'can't ou find him and tell him I'm here. I don't believe he knows it.'

" 'No,' said he. 'I will stay out here in the hall with Mr. Gerrish.' Soon after this another colored man came to the room and said I was to go with him. I was glad to leave the room, for there was no fire in it and I was almost frozen. The colored man led me down the back stairs from the sixth floor to a room on the second floor, adjoining Senator Hanna's apartments. There I saw my husband for a moment and I told him that he must be honest and do only what was right.

"Several men had been talking to him, and one of them called him away while he was talking to me. Then I was taken into Senator Hanna's room. Mr. Brigham, Major Rathbone, Mr. Chapman and Mr. De Peck all joined with Senator Hanna in urging me to tell my husband that he ought to vote for Boxwell and Senator Hanna. They talked to me for more than two hours. I said that I wanted to see my husband, but they said that he was busy in another room. Finally I said 'Gentlemen, I have had no sleep and I have been greatly worried. I am exhausted and I wish to retire. All I can say to you is that I know that my husband will do what is right, and all the world cannot move him from his decision.'

"Then one of them said that my husband had already made promies that he would vote with them.

" 'If that is the case,' said I, 'it is certainly useless to talk to me. If he has promised to vote with you there is nothing for me to say to him in your interests.'

"Ater this I said that I wished to go at once to my room. They said that I couldn't, as there was a man occupying it. Finally, however, at daylight I I was taken to a room on the fourth floor, where I retired. I asked for my husband, but they said he had left the hotel. This was true. I learned afterward that Mr. Griffith had gone to the Great Southern under the impression that I had been taken back there. I could not sleep, and at 7:30 I dressed myself and sent word by a bell boy that if my husband was not in the house I intended to leave at once.

"A message came back that Senator Hanna wanted to talk with me, and a few minutes later he came to my room. He said that no doubt I felt better after my rest, and that I would be able to see matters more clearly. I told him I had not changed my mind in any degree. He said: 'Mrs. Griffith, I am sorry to see you stand in the way of your husband's interests and your own interests. If he will only vote with us he will not regret it. I have much influence and I will give him a position such as he could not obtain in ten years—a position which will be of great benefit to you as well as to him.'

" 'Mr. Hanna,' said I, 'it seems to me that you ought to know now that I will not ask my husband to vote against his convictions. I cannot say anything more to you, and I am now going to leave this hotel and find my husband.'

"If I had known," continued Mrs Griffith, "what transpired while I was in the hotel I might have expressed some indignation in my conversation with Senator Hanna. As I said, Mr. Griffith had returned to the Great Southern under the impression that I was there. Soon after his return to the Great Southern a message came to him from some of Senator Hanna's people saying that I was sick and wanted to see him, and that a doctor was attending me.

"Mr Kurtz and Mr. Bliss were with him when he received the message. They did not believe it, and advised him to send one of his friends after me instead of coming hiself. Mr. Griffith sent a friend, and the clerk told him that I was not in the house. He was just preparing to come after me himself, when I reached the Great Southern. Now, that is the whole story,' continued Mrs. Griffith, "and to say the least, I do not think I was treated nicely."

"I wish to say," said Mrs. Griffith, "that Mr. Chapman and Mr. De Peck have always seemed to me to be gentlemen. No doubt they were led to believe that my husband really wished me to come to the Neil House, and I believe them when they say that their idea in taking me to the Neil House by a roundabout way was to prevent me from being annoyed by any attempt to interfere with my going. They are my neighbors and I do not think they would willingly subject me or any woman to annoyance."

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Miss Catharine Crenshaw, Bicycle, for first nearest correct guess on number of words in first column of Cincinnati Enquirer, of Dec 31.
Miss Ida Mercer, a fine sewing machine, for second nearest correct guess on number of words in first column of Cincinnati Enquirer of Dec. 31.
Miss Ida Downard, for third nearest guess, a barrel of flour.
Miss Anna Eppler, for fourth nearest guess, a barrel of flour.

Shoe Store.

Miss Carrie Saylor, Bicycle, for first nearest correct guess on number of words in two pages of a newspaper published in 1799.
John Clark, a barrel of G. Frick & Son's Crescent Flour, second prize in above contest.
Mrs. Stevenson, barrel of G. Frick & Son's Crescent Flour, third prize in above contest.
Helena Heinisch, barrel of G. Frick & Son's Crescent Flour, fourth prize in above contest.
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Rudyard Kipling, Richard Harding Davis, Joel Chandler Harris, George W. Cable, and others, are under engagement to contribute stories during 1898.

Robert Grant's Search Light Letters"—replies to various letters that came in consequence of his "Reflections of a Married Man" and the Opinions of a Philosopher."

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The Theatre. The Mine, etc., will be treated in "The Conduct of Great Businesses" series (as were "The Wheat Farm," "The Newspaper," etc., in '97), with numerous illustrations.

Life at Girls' Colleges—like the articles on "Undergraduate Life at Harvard, Princeton and Yale," and as richly illustrated.

Political Reminiscences by Senator Hoar, who has been in public life for forty-five years.

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AL FIELDS

Talks Interestingly of His Career as a Minstrel.

He Has Been on the Road With His Own Company Since 1886 and Has Never Missed a Pay Day—The Show Business This Season—A Characteristic Incident.

"I've been coming to Portsmouth a good many years now—ever since I have been on the road in fact—and I have never yet had a poor house" said Al. Fields at the opera house last evening. "You people here have always taken kindly to me and I have always tried to give them the best in the minstrel line that is going. And so I think that's why we have stuck together," and the minstrel man smiled that enormous smile of his.

"How has the show business been this year?" queried the reporter.

"First rate, couldn't have been better," said Mr. Fields. Haven't had but one bad night up north since the season opened and that was at Chillicothe. First time I'd been in the village for three years, too, and then I had a bad house They don't know a good thing up there, do they?" and again that smile was called into service.

In the early part of the season Fields and his show were jaunting about down South and raced about like scared deer to avoid quarantine. They were in Atlanta when a case of yellow fever was discovered there, and they left town in hot haste on a special, canceling their date. Then they went to Augusta and the people wanted to mob them for coming from an infected city. This thing kept up for some time, but finally better days came, and with the disappearance of "yellow jack" came better houses.

"I have been out since 1886 with my own company," said Mr. Fields, in conclusion, "and in all that time I never missed a pay day for the boys."

Yesterday afternoon there was prospects of a little trouble because Mr. Fields thought a repertoire company had slipped up on him and put their "paper" over his. Fields was on the war-path at first until the matter was made clear to him. Last night, in explaining the occurrence to Manager Grimes, Mr. Fields said mournfully:

"I wasn't mad, Harry, not at all; I was just d— wet, and when a man's had water drippin' down his back and trampin' through sloppy streets, he's got to relieve his feelings some way." That's Al. Fields all over—the same off the stage that he is on. Impulsive, merry and honest, he is indeed the king of the minstrel men.

In justice to Mr. Fields, it should be said that he has about the best company of his whole career with him this season, and that the performance was exceptionally good. It delighted a crowded house. Dan Quinlan and Billy Van make worthy companions of Mr. Fields.

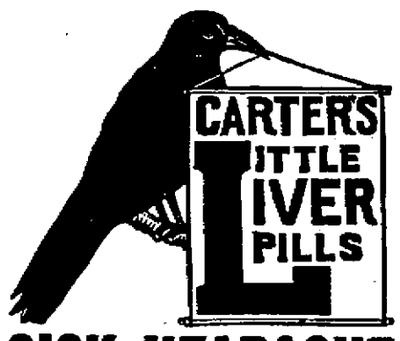
POOCK'S HOBBY.

Latest Move of the Newport Shoe Man Who Solved the Pearl Bryan Murder Mystery.

L. D Poock, of Newport, Ky., was in Lima, O, Wednesday endeavoring to solve a murder mystery which is bothering the officials at St. Paul, Minn. Poock, it will be remembered, furnished the Cincinnati police with a clue which led to the identity of Pearl Bryan. A few weeks ago a woman was murdered at White Bear Lake, a summer resort near St. Paul. When the body was found it was decomposed and the rats had gnawed away one shoe and a portion of the other. The St. Paul authorities have made every effort possible to find a clue which would lead to her identity, and have sent the woman's shoe to all the leading shoe manufacturers of the country. As a last resort Mr. Poock was sent the shoe, and to the Times Star representative he stated that he had located the maker of the shoe and the dealer who sold it. Further information, however, he refuses to disclose.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Suing on a $5,000 Claim

The suit of Judge Evans, of Portsmouth, against the Ohio State university trustees for the recovery of a claim of $5,000 for services rendered in the preliminaries of the establishment of the institution is engaging the attention of Judge Evans' court. The defense offered is that the work was done at the option of another party with whom the trustees had contracts and to whom Judge Evans must look for his compensation.—Columbus Journal.



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AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Reil & Abbeys' Uncle Tom's Cabin company will give a grand street parade tomorrow at noon. Look out for it.

The Van Dyke & Eaton repertoire company will open a week's engagement at the Grand opera house next Monday night. The opening play will be "A Tallow Candle," a play full of many bright and dramatic situations. During the evening a number of good specialties are introduced. The company is an excellent one and, at 10, 20 and 30 cents, should have a crowded house.

A special price of 15 cents has been made for children for the matinee of Uncle Tom's Cabin Saturday afternoon. This price will admit them to any part of the house. Adults will be charged 25 cents. For the night performance the prices are 15, 25 and 35 cents. The company is the best in the country playing "Uncle Tom."

Among the many good specialties of the Van Dyke & Eaton company are an illustrated song, "Pictures of My Best Girl," calcium dancing and a musical act by Klark & Klark. The specialties are alone worth the price of admission.

It is not settled yet what play James Young will present when he appears at the Grand January 18th. There have been many requests for "The Comedy of David Garrick," in which he made such a hit the first night of his last appearance here.

Bertie Van Dyke, the clever little actress, who is singing and dancing her way into the hearts of all who see her, is the fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke. She is a very bright child, and besides being a very clever singer and dancer she acts remarkably well and the part that falls to her is sure to be done in a very fetching style—Peoria Daily Herald. She will be at the Grand with the Van Dyke & Eaton company all next week.

"Uncle Tom" tomorrow in matinee and at night

REV. SNODGRASS

Called to the Pastorate of a Zanesville Church.

He Conducted a Series of Protracted Meetings There and His Work Pleased the People So That They Unanimously Extended Him a Call to Locate With Them.

The following from yesterday's Zanesville Times-Recorder will be of interest to the many Portsmouth friends of Rev. Snodgrass. "Fair Oaks" is a prosperous suburb of Zanesville:

"The services at the Fair Oaks Baptist church last evening were full of interest. The attendance was very large and a splendid sermon was delivered. At the close of the services a business meeting of the congregation was held at which a call was extended to Rev. J. A. Snodgrass, of Portsmouth, to become the pastor of the church. The Times-Recorder takes pleasure in announcing that Rev. Mr. Snodgrass will accept the call unanimously extended. The date has been fixed at February 1. The gentleman has made a favorable impression on all whom he has met during his stay here and he promises to be a very popular man and useful pastor. He was born near Pittsburg, Pa., and obtained his education there. He spent the earlier years of his life as a teacher, and was engaged in that occupation when the war broke out He enlisted, and served three years in the famous Bucktail brigade of Pennsylvania troops. Returning from the army he again engaged in teaching, but became impressed that it was his duty to become a minister and gave up a lucrative position to follow the dictates of his conscience. He was ordained in 1868, and has been a pastor since 1872, serving different churches in Ohio for the past twenty years. He was stationed at Youngstown for nine years, at Portsmouth for seven years and at Columbus for two years. He spent a short time at Portland, Oregon. Rev. Snodgrass is married and a wife and daughter compose his family. He is a pleasing and effective speaker and will make a popular minister."

Doc Severs' Plans.

President Meyer received another letter from Pitcher Doc. Severs last week in which the latter says that he is sorry that his terms are too high for the Fort Wayne management, but adds that as he would rather play in this city than go East, owing to the fact that he was treated so well here last year, he might sign with Fort Wayne for a little less than his first offer. Mr. Meyer has not answered the letter yet as he wants a few days to consider the matter. He thinks a good deal of Severs' ability and is very likely to make the Ohioan an offer.—Ft. Wayne Cor. Sporting News.

His Old Job.

Hans Peterson, for many years head sawyer of the Little Kanawha Lumber Co., at New Boston, has secured his old position with Newman & Spanner. The latter will start up the mill as soon as they can secure logs.

To Play In Iowa.

Dick Smith, the Ironton pitcher, has signed a contract to play with the Cedar Rapids, Iowa, team next season. The team is in the Western Association.

Caps and hats at Lehman's.

REPORT APPROVED.

Coal Operators of Pittsburg District Are Very Well Pleased.

Pittsburg, Jan. 7.—The coal operators of the Pittsburg district met here and approved the plans of their committee of arrangements for the interstate convention of Pittsburg operators and miners to be held in Chicago on Jan. 17. A resolution was passed approving the report of the committee recommending the adoption of the Ohio screen and price by the Pittsburg operators, or of the Pittsburg screen and price by the Ohio operators, and instructing the committee to adhere to this demand absolutely.

Deadlock Unbroken.

Annapolis, Jan. 7. — The deadlock over the speakership of the Maryland house of delegates was unbroken, and there are no indications that it will be settled for some time to come. In the senate nothing was done except to send a message to the house announcing the organization of the senate.

More Encouraging.

Thomasville, Ga., Jan. 7.—The news from the sick room of Hon. Benjamin Butterworth is decidedly more encouraging. He has been improving slowly but steadily, and his physicians are more hopeful than they have been since he was stricken down.

Brained With an Ax.

Bristol, Tenn., Jan. 7.—In a fit of insanity Alexander Carter, a white citizen of Greenville, killed his wife and 19-year-old daughter, Montie, while they slept, and then shot and killed himself. Carter brained his wife and daughter with an ax.

Dead Robber Found.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—Charles Dayton, who is supposed to have lived in New York, was found dead under a railway trestle across Cahokia creek in East St. Louis. He is supposed to be one of two robbers who were thrown from an Illinois Central train.

Stamped as Fraudulent.

Philadelphia, Jan. 7.—The Philadelphia commercial museums received from the United States consul at Amsterdam a list containing the names of 96 firms in that city which the police department there stamp as fraudulent.

A Soldier Married.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—Lieutenant Dwight Edward Aultman of the Second artillery, now stationed at Fort Adams, near Newport, R. I., was married to Miss Alma Hickok, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert E. Hickok of this city.

Verdict of Not Guilty.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—By order of the court the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty in the trial of William Dawson, Jr., cashier of the failed Bank of Minnesota, charged with grand larceny to the extent of $29,000.

Not Badly Damaged.

New York, Jan. 7.—A jury in the United States court awarded Anthony Comstock a verdict of 6 cents in his suit for $50,000 damages brought against Dr. Montague R. Leverson.

WHAT IT MEANS.

Portsmouth Is Learning It, Learning It Fast—Proof Not Lacking.

Everybody has it.
That tired feeling.
Don't know what it means.
Keeps you awake at night,
Destroys daily comfort,
Wearies the body, worries the mind.
You should shake it off.
You should be healthful and strong,
So you can,
If you go at it right.
First learn what it means.
Some say that it's bad blood,
Others say that it's lazy liver.
They're all wrong.
Tired feeling means lame kidneys,
Just as lame back means kidney ache.
How do we know it?
Because Doan's Kidney Pills cure it,
And they are for kidneys only.
How can we prove it?
Because Portsmouth people say so.
Here is a case in point:

Mr. Harry Distelrath, 207 East Eleventh street, says: "Mine is the same old story—dragging backache from kidney trouble which worried me for several years. I was never free from it, and at times it was very distressing, right on both sides of the back just above the hips. I knew that the kidneys were not doing their work as they should as the secretions were very highly colored. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills induced me to try them and I went to Fisher & Streich's drug store and obtained a box. I seemed to feel the good of them right away. I remarked to my wife at the time that they were the right thing to have. After I used them my back was strong and there was no pain in it. I felt as supple as when I was a boy."

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Excellent 40c Novelties go at 33c.

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Good style 20c Novelties go at 15c.

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Wool and fleece lined Hose, Mittens, Flannel Skirts, and Fascinators, all at cost.

$1.00 Silks and Velvets go at 85c.

90c and 85c Silks and Velvets go at 75c.

75c Silks and Velvets go at 65c.

50c Silks and Velvets go at 40c.

Cambric, Silecia, Rustle Lining and Canvass, all at cost during this sale.

Remember, our Outing Flannels, Canton Flannels, all wool Flannels, Ladies' and Child's Underwear in cotton and wool, all at cost.

Until January 15th, our entire stock will be sold at cost. Prices just as advertised. Come and be convinced.

L. & E. Yaeger,

507 Chillicothe Street.

Special Sale.

Our entire stock of Hats to make room for spring goods.

Men's All Fur Alpine Hats, latest styles, black or brown, 69c.
Men's All Fur Derby Hats, latest styles, black or brown, 98c.
Men's All Fur Derby and Alpine Hats, latest styles, black or brown, $2.00 quality, $1.50.
Men's All Fur Derby and Alpine Hats, latest styles, black or brown, $2.50 quality, $2.00.
Men's All Fur Derby and Alpine Hats, latest styles, black or brown, $3.00 and $3.50 quality, $2.50.

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It Is Time

To think of the Holiday present you are going to give your wife, your husband or your friend.

Something Useful

Will be more appreciated and will make you feel better for having given it.

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Would appreciate nothing more than a handsome heater or a nice range or cook stove. We have these and a thousand and one other things both useful and ornamental. Coal Vases, Fire Sets, Cooking Utensils of every kind will be found in our stock. Come in and see us. We can please you both in goods and prices.

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DOC ABBOTT

Has Shaken the Dust of Portsmouth Off His Feet.

Reported That He Left the City to Avoid Arrest, as the Grand Jury Is Known to Have Returned Indictments Against Him—His Many Ups and Downs.

It is whispered about that among the indictments returned by the grand jury were several against the individual known as Dr. Albert L. Abbott. How many, officials decline to state, but it is understood that no less than six or seven true bills were found against the Doctor.

It is understood that these indictments were for alleged practicing of the profession of medicine without the necessary certificate or other authority. It is alleged that Dr. Abbott practiced on his own book, and for this reason he is in trouble. Several cases be treated will be used against him. The husband of one of the ladies treated was instrumental in having the case brought to the attention of the grand jury.

Rumors to the effect that the case would be examined into by the grand jury have been in circulation for some time. They had a disquieting effect on Dr. Abbott's nerves and a couple of days ago he concluded to shake the dust of Portsmouth off his feet. He left town quietly, and whither he went or where he is going, is not known. Doubtless Abbott will take good care that no one here finds out.

The officials were considerably chagrined when they found that Abbott had skipped. Sheriff Bickey says, however, he will have him dead (sure, if he has to follow him to the ends of the country. Abbott has had plenty of ups and downs since he came to Portsmouth, and this latest trouble will be watched with difficulty.

A CHILDREN'S PARTY

Given at All Saints Chapel Yesterday Evening—A Delightful Time Enjoyed.

The "Children's Party" at All Saints chapel last night meant another pleasant evening for the young people and children of All Saints Sunday school and the East End chapel of All Saints. It is the rector's idea to give such a social entertainment on the festival of the Epiphany, January 6th, as a fitting close to the Christmas festivities. A beautiful religious service was held on the eve of the Innocents, December 28th, and the jolly time for the little folks was to follow on Epiphany. The same trees which, brilliantly lighted and artistically trimmed, adorned the church on this first occasion were to have been retrimmed and relighted in the chapel last night. This feature was omitted on account of the illness of the rector, who was but barely able to be present at the "party."

However, the children had a good time without the Christmas trees. There were recitations by Master Oscar Cooper, Eraline Grice, Ruth Ferguson, Miss Kate Newman and Miss Mina Snyder, of the East End Sunday school, and piano selections by Carrie Gardanier. All were appreciated, as the earnest applause of the little folks and their many grown-up friends indicated. Several encores were responded to.

Some charades were acted out by several of the young girls and boys, which afforded much amusement. These had been prepared under the direction of Rev. Herron. Following the charades was a treat for all present—oranges and delicious cake.

WINTER SOCIALS.

A Series of Social Gatherings for Men Arranged by Second Presbyterian Church.

The Second Presbyterian church has arranged for a series of winter socials, exclusively for men of every age. The first will be held Friday evening Jan. 14th. Music will be furnished by an orchestra. At each meeting a talk will be given upon some practical subject. The first talk will be by Prof Hudson—subject announced later. All men are invited. No fee will be charged. No organization will be made. The object is to have a pleasant and profitable evening—part of the time to be spent in the discussion of current and practical themes—after the opening speaker is through. The ladies have their literary and social clubs—why should not the men. Look for further announcements.

ANNUAL BANQUET

Of the Portsmouth Cycling Club to Be Held This Evening at the Biggs House.

The members of the Portsmouth Cycling club will enjoy their annual banquet this evening at the Biggs House. It is expected that over one hundred of the members of the club will be present and a royal good time is expected. The president of the Cycling club, Mr. Fred Tynes, will have charge of the evening's festivities and he has arranged for a series of toasts that will bring down the house.

"Health is wealth," and a dollar saved is a dollar made. You can preserve your health and save money and shoe leather by getting a pair of rubbers. We keep a full stock, and can fit any shoe at the Kendall Shoe Co.

His Fifty-Eighth Birthday.

Mr. Fred Reiniger, the genial coal dealer, will celebrate in an informal way his fifty-eighth birthday tomorrow. Mr. Reiniger's many friends will wish him many happy returns of the day.

Selling at cost at Mrs. Frank Revares, 707 Chillicothe street.

Better shoe value than ever at Lehman's.

PERSONAL.

A. M. Freer, traveling freight agent of the C. A. & C. is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Biggs are visiting relatives at Bridgeport, Ohio.

Frank Kleffner Sr., is back from a visit with his family in Columbus.

A. D. Simpson, a prominent young Greenup county school teacher, is in the city.

Torrence M. Pratt, returned to Marietta today to resume his studies in Ohio University.

Miss Ada Mellinger, of Covington, is visiting Miss Florence Bodner, of Eleventh street.

Miss Allie Powell, of Huntington, W. Va., who has been the guest of Dr. Will M. Burgess, has returned home.

Mr. Edward Thomas, of Rochester, New York, is visiting his father, Henry Thomas, of 504 Grimes avenue.

Mrs. A. F. McCormick went to Columbus this morning for a brief visit with her cousin, Mrs. William Scarlett.

Miss Marguerite Sellards, of Portsmouth, O., is the guest of her brother, Dr. H. C. Sellards.—Greenup Democrat.

Miss Blanche Meeker has returned to her home in Dayton after a pleasant visit with Miss Mary Lawhley, of Chillicothe street.

Jacob Haines, who has been spending the holidays with his family here has returned to Galion, Crawford county. He has a position there as molder.

Miss Hermione Davis, of Maysville, Ky., who has been here visiting her brother, Ben Davis, and her sister, Mrs. Isaac Levi, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Johnson during a very pleasant ten days visit, left today for their home in Steubenville.

Registered at the Biggs house last night were C. H. Ludmann, Missoula, Mont., E. B. Nukill, Washington C. H., Henry Peters Jr., Cincinnati and Chas. Robinson, of Columbus.

C. H. Dickey, formerly of this place, now traveling salesman for Sanford, Varner & Co., of Portsmouth, O., was in town Monday visiting his relative John Myers, who is quite sick.—Greenup Democrat.

Mr. E. P. Snively, wife and little son will arrive in the city tonight from Columbus to be the guests of Prof. B. J. Fisher and wife. Mr. Snively is a brother-in-law of Prof. Fisher, and was formerly traveling freight agent of the B. & O. railway.

Clerical Work Transferred to Kenova.

George W. Smith, one of Supt. Robinson's clerks at the Kenova offices of the N. & W., was in Portsmouth today arranging for the transfer of some office work from this city to Kenova. It has been the custom to keep the time of all Kenova men in this city, a daily report being mailed to the shops here from Kenova. After this week the time will be kept at Kenova and a great deal of unnecessary work avoided.

For ice wool shawls, umbrellas, underwear and corsets, go to Flora Dellert's.

Coming Elk Party.

The Elks will issue invitations the first of the week for a social session Friday evening January 14th. The committee in charge consists of Hon. Jas. W. Newman, H. S. Grimes and Howard Harsha.

Selling at cost at Mrs. Frank Revare's, 707 Chillicothe street. 4-5t

Will Go to Columbus.

Col. John Diehlman will go to Columbus next Monday to help inaugurate Gov. Bushnell and incidentally to spend a few days with his brother.

Her Health Restored

THE misery of sleeplessness can only be realized by those who have experienced it. Nervousness, sleeplessness, headaches, neuralgia and that miserable feeling of unrest, can surely be cured by Dr. Miles Restorative Nervine. So certain is Dr. Miles of this fact that all druggists are authorized to refund price paid for the first bottle tried, providing it does not benefit.

Mrs. Henry Bruns, wife of the well known blacksmith at Grand Junction, Iowa, says: "I was troubled with sleeplessness, nervousness, headache and irregular menstruation; suffering untold misery for years. I used various advertised remedies for female complaints besides being under the care of local physicians, without help. I noticed in Dr. Miles' advertisement the testimonial of a lady cured of ailments similar to mine, and I shall never cease to thank that lady. Her testimonial induced me to use Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills, which restored me to health. I cannot say enough for Dr. Miles' Remedies."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address, DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

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$1.98 **Howard Hats,** $1.98

The best in the WORLD, to be closed out immediately at a big reduction. Until Saturday night we will offer our entire stock of HOWARD HATS, either stiff or soft, in all shapes and colors for $1.98, former price $3 co. Take advantage of this great hat sale and buy now.

$1.98

$1.98 **J. EISMAN & CO.,** $1.98

121 and 123 West Second Street.

IN A MINE

A Scioto County Boy Lost His Life Wednesday

In the Northern Part of the State—Falling Slate Caught Him and Crushed Him So Badly That He Died—Formerly Lived at Scioto Furnace—Body Brought Here.

There arrived in the city on the Norfolk & Western this morning the remains of Wm. Martin, a Scioto county boy, who was killed in a coal mine at Port Clinton, in the northern part of the state, Wednesday afternoon.

The deceased is a cousin of Henry Lorberg, of this city, and was the son of Robert Martin, of Scioto Furnace. He has been in Port Clinton for several months, working in a coal mine under an uncle. A fall of slate Wednesday afternoon caught him and he was so horribly crushed that he died in a short time.

The remains were brought here en route for Scioto Furnace, his old home. They were taken out on the B. & O. S.-W. this afternoon and the funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, interment to take place at Vernon cemetery. Accompanying the remains were Chas. Martin, a brother, who is also working at Port Clinton; Miss Belle Martin, of Columbus, and Mrs. Lynn, of Zanesville, O. The deceased was twenty-five years of age and single. He was an honest, industrious young man and his friends regret to learn of his death.

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

Show This To Your Appetite.

Beans, per qt	5c
Buckwheat, per lb	4c
Oat Meal, 3 lb	10c
Sour Pickles, per doz	5c
Mackerel, 2 for	5c
Large White Fish, 3 for	10c
1 lb Baking Powder	5c
Ginger Snaps	5c
Crackers	5c
Oyster Crackers	7c
Fresh Country Pork Sausage	10c

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Physician and Surgeon.

Office and residence Dr. Slagle's old place, 708 and 710 John street. Glasses adjusted perfectly. Phone No. 229. Office hours 8 to 9 a. m., 12 to 2 p. m., 6 to 9 p. m.

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See me and get prices before you have your work done. All work guaranteed. PAINLESS EXTRACTION. Office over Adams Express, 112 West Second.

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WANTED—An experienced edge trimmer, edge setter and cutter. Apply to the Portsmouth Turned Shoe company.

FOR SALE—The two-story residence of Edward Russell, 324 East Eleventh street, between Lincoln and Offnere. Inquire on premises. 7 6t

FOR SALE—Fancy oak partition and office desk. Inquire of W. H. Burt at Burt, Pride & Hall's.

FOR RENT—Two story seven room house. Most desirable location in the city for boarding house. See W. A. McFarlin, 111 Market street.

WANTED—Private students in shorthand. Box 203. 5 3t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property, farm of 160 acres in Harrison township, two miles east of Harrisonville. Fifteen acres of good orchard, good house and outbuildings and good water. A bargain if sold within thirty days. Address August Frowine, 200 East Eleventh street, Portsmouth, Ohio. dec. 15 1m

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In Watch and Jewelry Repairing is unsurpassed. Years of experience enable us to do reliable work, no botch work which is dear at any price.

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Just What the Doctor Ordered

And nothing else, goes into your prescriptions if you bring it here. The purest drugs, the most careful compounding. Graduate Pharmacists. The prices are a relief from the proverbial "drug store figures."

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— MANUFACTURER OF —

Flooring, Siding

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Makes Low Prices on Steel Roofing.

No. 205 W. Front Street.

First Class Trees And True to Name.

I have one lot of trees from the well known firm of Storrs & Harrison, Painesville, Ohio, and another lot from James C Bingham and Sons, Russell, Ky. These people are careful and reliable and will tell you that I ordered nothing but first class goods. Come and see the trees, get prices and you will be pleased.

SAM T. KENYON,

Droege's Grove Place, first house east of base ball ground, north side Gallia Pike.

Purcell & Bragdon

Mark Down Sale.

"Cash is King."

All Underwear, Blankets, Comforts and Winter Goods of every description must be sold regardless of cost. We are determined to carry over nothing. We want the cash and need the room for our spring goods, and if prices talk we will soon clean them up. Also include in this sale Canton Flannels, Domets, Storm Flannels, Outings, Flannelettes, All Wool Flannels, Cotton Batts, Prints and Muslins and Skirts.

Come early while assortment is complete, for at these prices stock will soon be cut down.

See our 3c Towels, full size.

See our 29c Unlaundered Shirts, worth 50c.

The Most for Your Dollar Always to Be Had at

The PEOPLE'S Cash Store.

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Watches,
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Whether You Live to Eat Or Eat to Live

You Can All Grow Fat On the Bargains We Give.

3 1 qt. cans best Pears	25c	1 lb Split Peas	5c
1 qt. can California Peaches	10c	3 lb best lump Starch	9c
1 3lb can Baked Beans	5c	2 lb best baking Soda	5c
1 3lb can Apricot Butter	8c	1 lb brick Codfish	5c
1 can good Peas	5c	Bon Ton Soap, 10 bars	25c
2 cans 10c Corn for	15c	Water Lily Soap, 9 bars	25c
1 qt. home made Kraut	5c	Fine Toilet Soap, 1 bar	3c
2 lb Hominy	5c	Holland Herring, 3 for	5c
1 lb Scotch Peas	3c	Sugar Cured Hams, per pound	10c

We are headquarters for good, fresh, clean groceries at lowest Cash Prices.

H. E. Langdon & Co.,

Corner Seventh and Chillicothe, F. GLATZ, Mgr.

TO A CRISP.

Emily Copley, of Madden, Burned to Death.

Seventeen Year Old Daughter of Nora Copley—Dress Caught Fire From the Grate—Folks Away at a Funeral—Niece of Hiram Copley, Street Railway Motorman.

News of a most distressing accident reached the city today from Madden, this county. Emily Copley, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Nora Copley, was burned to death. The girl had been left at home with a younger brother while the rest of the family went to a funeral. While the folks were gone Emily's dress caught fire from the grate. Her brother ran to a neighbor's for help, but before any one could come to the poor girl's rescue she was burned to a crisp. Neighbors found her lying on the bed when they reached the house. The bed was also on fire and it was with difficulty that the house was saved from burning. The girl lived but a few hours. The flesh was burned entirely off the bones in many places.

Hiram Copley, motorman on the street railway, is an uncle of the unfortunate girl.

A DELIGHTFUL TIME

Enjoyed by a Number of Guests, at the Residence of Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Tremper Last Night.

Dr. and Mrs. Tremper entertained informally last evening for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, of Steubenville, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Johnson. It was the last of a number of delightful social events which have been given in their honor, a farewell opportunity for a few of Mrs Johnson's friends here to enjoy her delightful music.

She has a very sweet, sympathetic voice, which she uses with much ease and expression and her pretty songs never fail to please. She has many admirers in this city, who are always delighted to have her with them. An additional charm—often a rare one with talented persons—is her accommodating spirit which never allows her to refuse an invitation to sing.

The evening spent at the pleasant home of Dr. and Mrs. Tremper was a very enjoable one, about fifteen married people being the guests.

Delightful refreshments were served at eleven o'clock.

A PLEASING PROGRAM

To Be Given by the Ladies' Musicale This Evening at All Saints Chapel.

This evening is the date of the second of the popular ten cent concerts to be given by the Ladies' Musicale this season. It will be held in All Saints chapel and the program, which is to begin promptly at 7:30 (standard) will be a very enjoyable one.

There will be a two piano piece by Mrs. Wait and Miss Kate Kinney, vocal selections by Mrs. Nannie Kinney, a piano duett by Mrs. Pearl Selby and Mrs. Ben Dillon, readings by Mrs. E. F. Draper and Miss Carol Simmons, a piano solo by Mrs. Julia Turley and a selection by the Ozerwinski Trio.

MONDAY NIGHT

The Next Number of the Bigelow Lecture Course Will Be Given.

The next entertainment in the Bigelow lecture course series will be given next Monday evening, January 10th, when Mr. Edwin C. Elliott, a noted impersonator, will appear at the Bigelow church. Mr. Elliott comes to Portsmouth with the best of recommendations as a first class artist and the number will undoubtedly be one of the best of the whole lecture course.

At Camp Limberger.

Ed. Times:—A number of the members of the camp were out yesterday to sow clover seed on their lawn to beautify it for the coming summer. After a fine turkey dinner had been served, Messrs. O. Doley, J. Bender, H. Schwartz, F. Doty and D. McNaughten rowed across the river in search of wild geese, but their search was in vain and they returned and found a fine oyster stew ready to be served.

CAMPER.

Doing Well in Oregon.

Members of the Times staff acknowledge the receipt of copies of the industrial edition of the "Portland Oregonian," with the compliments of Harry K. Brown, formerly of this city. Mr. Brown is now located at 112 East Twelfth street in Portland. He is engaged in business and is doing well. His many friends in this city will be glad to hear of his success.

When you hear anyone on the streets cry out "Rubber," they mean for you to go the Kendall Shoe Co., and get your rubbers.

Gold in Kentucky.

Ore taken from a farm about fifteen miles back of Russell, Ky., owned by Malone & Crawshaw, was sent to the St. Louis Smelting company and it developed that it would pay $22.57 to the ton of gold. Messrs. Malone and Crawshaw expect to work the land.—Ironton Republican.

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

Mr. Elisha Berry of this place, says he never had anything do him so much good and give such quick relief from rheumatism as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He was bothered greatly with shooting pains from hip to knee until he used this liniment, which affords prompt relief.—B. F. BAKER, druggist, St. Paris, Ohio. For sale by Fisher & Streich, Druggists.

FRAGMENTS.

Pat Doyle is improving rapidly.

Joseph Vetter, the well known tailor is quite sick.

The second daughter of J. C. Homer, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Goodpaster are the proud parents of a bright little boy.

J. M. Stockham shipped a carload of straw to near Roanoke, Va., today.

Miss Carrie Sowers, of 101 Fourteenth street, has been quite sick for several days.

The Al. Field Minstrel company went to Charleston, W. Va., on a special train last night.

Geo. Clark, who has been sick with lung fever, is improving and will soon be able to be about again.

Mrs. John Braunlin, who lives at the corner of Twelfth and Gay street, has been quite sick for some time.

St. Peters Aid society of the St. Mary's church are arranging to give a grand social Feb. 21st and 22nd.

Miss Addie Spry, daughter of Mail Carrier Alan Spry, is lying quite sick with typhoid fever at her home, corner of Fourth and Sinton streets.

Herman Hugenberger and Lizzie Haubeil were married Wednesday night at the residence of the bride north of the city. Miss Haubeil is a sister of Mrs. Adam Giesler.

POLICEMAN HEISEL

Will Have a Trial Before Mayor Glidden Tuesday Morning at Nine O'clock.

Policeman Heisel was arraigned before Mayor Glidden Thursday evening on charge of pointing fire-arms, preferred against him by Miss Crawford. He entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for Tuesday morning at nine o'clock. He is still on duty awaiting his trial.

AN EX-ENGINEER

Got on a Rampage Tuesday Night and Caused a Sensation on East Eleventh

An ex-engineer on the N. & W. was on a big rampage Tuesday night and caused a sensation on East Eleventh street. He went to the residence of his brother there and threatened to take his life The engineer drew a big knife and flourished it around, declaring that he would kill somebody. He was finally induced to go home. Policeman McFarland reported the matter, but on account of the engineer's parents no arrests were made.

IMPROVING NICELY

Is the Little Daughter of Charles Terry Who Was Injured a Few Days Ago.

The little daughter of Charles Terry, of North Waller street, who met with a painful accident a few days ago, is improving rapidly. The child was sliding on her sled when she was thrown off. Her head struck one of the runners of the sled, making a big scalp wound. Dr. Burgess, who was called, found it necessary to take sixteen stitches in the wound. The threads were taken out today by Dr. Burgess, and the little girl is doing nicely.

Frank Johnson's Good Luck.

Frank Johnson, the South Webster man who won the first prize in the J. Eisman guessing contest, certainly was in luck. Johnson has not a superabundance of this world's goods and the day before the marbles were counted he lost his position in one of the coal mines near South Webster. The seventy-five dollars he received will tide him over until he can get another job.

Harugari Officers.

The following officers were installed at the last meeting of the Harugari lodge by D. D. G B. John Werner: P. B., John Linck; A. B., John Herman; U. B., Valentine Roth; secretary, Adam Young; financial secretary, Chas. Windel; treasurer, John Werner; warden, Albert Burkhardt; conductor, Jacob Linck; R. S. O. B., Chas. P. Stamm; L. S. O. B., Chas. J. Hehl; R. S. U. B., Paul Esselborn; L. S. U. B., Wm. Wamser; inside guard, Max Trente; outside guard, Jacob Oehlslager.

The Machine Candidates.

The local Republican machine have agreed upon their slate for nominations the primaries this spring. Capt. Finney will be their candidate for clerk; Mr. Williamson, of the West Side for sheriff, and John Moeller for commissioner.

Died in Cincinnati.

Mr. Al. Whittekin, who is now with Ben Davis, was called to Cincinnati by a telephone message announcing the death of his father, which occurred at 10 o'clock last night.

Mrs. Vincent Improving.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Vincent will be rejoiced to learn that she is slowly improving, with every prospect of soon regaining her health.

Mrs. Maier Recovering.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Maier will be glad to learn that Mrs. Maier is slowly improving. She had a very severe attack of typhoid fever and for a time it was feared she would not recover.

Lehman's shoes are the best in Portsmouth for the money.

20 cts. Given Away.

Cut this out, write your name across it in ink and take it to the druggist named below and he will give you a 25c bottle of Dr. Sawyer's Family Cure for 5c. Family Cure, cures all forms of Kidney difficulties, puffed eyes, muddy complexion, makes sallow and yellow skin white, cures water brash, cures pains in stomach and liver, cures constipation.

FISHER & STREICH, Opp. Postoffice.

Our Present Store Room is soon to be remodeled and transformed into the finest store room in this section. The workmen are to begin soon, but the work cannot be carried on **unless we make room.** Our intention is

TO MAKE ROOM

By reducing our stock in the next three weeks, therefore, **OUR GREAT REMODELING SALE** began Monday, Dec 27, 1897, lasting to Jan. 15, 1898. During this sale **Such Prices** will be put on **Good, Desirable Merchandise** as will insure their quick removal. Don't stop reading here—the farther you read the more interesting you will find this story of our

3 WEEKS REMODELING SALE.

DRESS GOODS.

In the face of a rising market, and during what is usually the dullest season of the year, **WE ARE DETERMINED** to reduce our stock of

DRESS GOODS.

We know that to accomplish this we must offer to the public extraordinary money saving inducements. **COST PRICE WILL BE IGNORED.** Profit by this announcement and respond early. Fancy **SILKS WILL BE INCLUDED.**

DOMESTICS.

At a time when prices on all Domestics are seemingly at the lowest notch, to step forth and announce that **ALL FORMER EFFORTS AND SPECIAL PRICES WILL BE OUTSTRIPPED,** appears unreasonable, but seeing is believing. Come and we'll prove it—muslins, ginghams, outing flannels, sheeting, Canton flannels, calicoes, shirtings, all included.

UNDERWEAR.

Read with confidence. The inducement is a saving of dollars and cents to every purchaser during this sale. When a complete stock of Underwear is offered at such prices as will rule during this sale it means

Rare Bargains

ANY ODD LOTS must go regardless of the loss. Prices are fixed to move them quickly.

TO MAKE THIS THE GREATEST SALE EVER ANNOUNCED we shall sacrifice profits on

Table Linens,
Towelings,
Winter Gloves,
Mittens,
Kid Gloves,
All Included

Blankets and Comforts

CAN YOU RESIST helping to move this stock when we announce to you even the low prices on our Blankets and Comforts will be literally cut to pieces? Can you resist coming and investigating?

MILLINERY.

Study the economy of buying Millinery at **HALF PRICE** during this sale. Think of it! A $5 Hat for $2.50.

RARE CHANCES will be offered on

Umbrellas,
Corsets,
Embroideries,
Ribbons,

CLOAKS.

NOT A CLOAK to remain in this department. We know that nothing but a price that makes the inducement a plain case of extraordinary money saving will accomplish our object.

Our Reputation

For reliable qualities is sufficient to guarantee that you will find no rubbish in this stock.

HOSIERY.

Hundreds of dozens of first class Hosiery for Men, Women and Children all go at bargain prices.

All Flannels and Flannel Skirts

Included in the list.

NOTICE:—All special prices during this sale are for cash only.

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Heavy Winter Caps

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15c to $1.00

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Hatter and Outfitter for Men,

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Got Prunes,

Large, fine, juicy

California Prunes.

They are the finest and best ever brought to this city. Also all kinds of

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These are all choice goods and the prices are right.

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That is good to eat you will find at

The CENTRAL GROCERY

Grand Opera House

Saturday, January 8th,

30 People in the Cast 30

Reil & Abby's Big

Uncle Tom's Cabin Company,

Headed by the only and original Topsy and only lady violin soloist in America,

Miss Mary Orton Park,

Supported by a carefully selected company. Matinee 2:30, prices, Children 15c, adults 25. Night performance, 15c, 25c, reserved seats 35c. No extra, no higher.

Grand Opera House

One Week, Commencing

Monday, Jan 10

VANDYKE & EATON CO.

Opening Play

A Tallow Candle

Miss Ollie Eaton's Wonderful

Fire Butterfly Dances

The Latest

Illustrated Songs.

Ladies Free

With every 30 cent ticket purchased for the opening performance.

Prices 10, 20 & 30c.

Seat Sale opens Friday evening at White's Jewelry Store.

WILL BE REDUCED

That Is What Opposition Say of Hanna Vote.

PATRONAGE TO BE GIVEN OUT

Chairmanships to Be Used to Good Advantage.

HOPED TO CATCH SEVERAL VOTES

Conservative Estimates Place the Vote at Present at Seventy-Five to Seventy Against Hanna, but Each Side Is Making Larger Claims—Both Sides Issue Statements to the Public Explaining How It Is and Why It Is So.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—The Hanna partisans claim 71 votes for their favorite and the assurance of the necessary two additional, and possibly four, but conservative estimates place the vote at 75 to 70 against Hanna.

The opposition insists that Hanna will never have 70 votes on joint ballot, and that they have gained two votes since the legislature adjourned over till Monday.

Before the chairmanships and preferred places and other patronage are disposed of the opposition say the Hanna vote will be reduced considerably below 70, which is now at least three short of enough to elect.

The opposition to Hanna consists of the 65 Democratic members and of the following 10 Republican members: Representatives Harry C. Mason and M. F. Bramley of Cuyahoga, J. P. Jones of Stark, John E. Griffith of Union, J. C. Otis of Hamilton, William O. Scott of Fulton, Henry H. Redkey of Highland, D. O. Rutan of Carroll and Harrison, James Manuel of Montgomery, and Senator Vernon H. Burke of Cleveland.

Included in the list of those supporting Hanna are Representatives Droste and Lane, silver Republican fusionists from Cincinnati, who are counted on for Jeptha Gerrard. The developments indicated that Gerrard would not only be voted for on the ballots for senator, but that he might lead on the first ballot if the present efforts are successful to make him the free silver Republican candidate. Gerrard is one of the most wealthy men in Cincinnati, and he has always been a radical free silver man.

Representative James Joyce of Guernsey, who is included in the 70 votes claimed for Hanna, is considered as doubtful. The Hanna men claim that Jones of Stark, Redkey of Highland, Rutan of Carroll and Harrison, and Manuel of Montgomery, who are on the list of the opposition, are doubtful.

On the Defensive.

"The combine" workers were aggressive until the past day or two, when they not only had enough votes to defeat Hanna, but had also reached all the doubtful members. The opposition is now on the defensive in keeping its majority in line.

The contest has settled down to a siege, in which the opposition holds the fort, and the Hanna men are charging on the breastworks. With the organization of the legislature, the state administration and other uncovered ramparts, the opposition feels well fortified.

It is conceded that the opposition is well organized and drilled, and also desperate in this fight. Ever since Kurtz was retired as state chairman by Hanna at the state convention in Toledo last June efforts have been made to retire Hanna, and there will be a fight to a finish on that issue.

The talk about Senator Burke being in the doubtful list has about subsided. He was slated for president pro tem. of the senate by the opposition. As he was not present on Monday to qualify, Senator Thaddeus E. Crumley (Dem.) was elected president pro tem. It transpires that Senator Crumley wrote out his resignation before his election and it is in the hands of Senator Fink, the leader of the Democratic side. Whenever Senator Burke is ready Senator Fink will present the resignation of Crumley as president pro tem. and Burke will get the place.

So far the opposition to Hanna is not only holding its men well in line, but it has executed all the plans provided for previous to the caucuses on last Saturday night. The opposition managers say they are having no trouble to hold their men out against Hanna, but admit their trouble in finding any candidate for whom all the "bolting" Republicans and the Democratic members will vote.

The "bolting" Republicans are unanimous in declaring that they can not vote for any Democrat under the circumstances for senator. Enough Democratic members to give the managers trouble and anxiety say they do not want to vote for a Republican for senator.

Vigorous Manifesto.

From Democratic headquarters the following vigorous manifesto was issued:

Columbus, O., Jan. 6, 1898.

To the People of Ohio:

Since the November election we have been engaged in an effort to make it impossible for Hanna to disgrace Ohio by buying a seat in the United States senate.

The fight thus far so successfully made has been conducted without the use of money. We have appealed to the patriotism, manhood and honesty of our fellow citizens of Ohio, who have united to wipe out the disgrace with which Hanna and his methods have blackened the fair name of out great state.

The friends of the people in this struggle have battled against the most tremendous influences which for years have been considered invincible in politics, and which have been too often successful. Money has been used and offered in large sums to tempt the honest and debauch the weak. Federal patronage, spies and paid detectives of the general government, bankers, railroads, news agents of incorporations, congressmen, and even ministers of the gospel have been drafted into Hanna's ignoble service, to bribe, bulldoze and corrupt honest men, and drive both Republicans and Democrats to the support of the greatest political monstrosity of the age. Men have been assailed in their business, in the churches, and even the sacred precincts of the home have been invaded, and wives, mothers and children have been harrassed and frightened by brutal threats, or tempted by vulgar bribes to influence the husband and father to betray all that honest men hold sacred—their honor.

Hanna's paid agents and hired libelers have freely circulated the story, and daily reiterated the charge that they have bought Democratic members of the legislature to absent themselves, or to betray their constituents by voting for himself and his creatures. This has been proven an infamous lie by recent events.

To the honor and lasting glory of the state, the Democratic party, and of each Democratic senator and representative, be it said, that not one has proven traitor in the hour of trial, but 18 Democratic senators and 47 Democratic representatives were found at their posts of duty at the proper time and they cast their votes as a unit against Hanna and Hannaism, and thus sounded the funeral knell to his ambitions, and with honest Republicans proclaimed to our people that there were "public servants" who did owe something to the people, and they could not be bought.

For this action these worthy representatives of a free people deserve peans of praise, and the unanimous approval of the upright and virtuous.

Alarmed by the presence of the grand jury now sitting in Franklin, Hanna's agents have transferred their operations to other scenes, and have followed the representatives to their homes to tempt many and bribe, if possible. In this nefarious work of inducing Democrats to betray their trust in this conflict of the people against a political tyrant and corruptionist, the success of such traitors to Democracy as the minions of Calvin S. Brice and John H. Farley have been engaged, and their agents are abroad in the state to help Hanna and prevent his defeat.

This is infamous and every traitor engaged in this shameful and miserable work should be branded as a public enemy and honest people should scorn and hiss them into infamy and obscurity.

The people of the state of Ohio have courageously fought for years to free themselves from the tyranny and oppression heaped upon them by the corporate powers of this country. Having been overpowered, disappointed and humiliated by the money power of Wall street at the last election, which was represented and managed by the greatest enemy of this commonwealth and the people this country ever produced. The patriotic and courageous people of this state have resolved and determined never to cease the battle against this boss and oppression of the common people until their efforts are crowned by a glorious victory.

We, therefore, earnestly and sincerely urge every loyal citizen of Ohio to enlist himself in this battle for freedom.

Hold up the hands of your honest representatives, aid us by your prayers, your outspoken convictions, your moral support, and we will defeat Hanna and win a victory for the common people, for honest government, for manhood, for justice, for truth, for principle that will benefit our common country, and echo throughout the ages.

ALLEN O. MYERS,
JAMES ROSS,
R. M. DITTEY.

Massmeeting Called.

The Republican committee has issued the following call for a massmeeting:

Columbus, O., Jan. 6, 1898.

To the Republicans of Ohio:

The constitution of our state provides that "the people have the right to assemble together in a peaceable manner, to consult for their common good; to instruct their representatives, and to petition the general assembly for the redress of grievances."

We call upon you in the exercise of this right to meet in mass convention at the auditorium in Columbus, O., on Monday, Jan. 10, 1898, at 3 o'clock p. m.

The Republicans of Ohio, in county, district and state convention assembled last spring and summer, promised the people they would return Hon. M. A. Hanna to the senate of the United States. A pledge more sacred was never given. Upon this issue one of the fiercest political campaigns in the history of our state was fought until you achieved a splendid victory.

During the campaign a few conspirators, pretended Republicans, not giving heed to the lawfully expressed will of a vast majority of their party, sought in every section of the state to defeat the legislative nominees of the Republican party. Overwhelmed and defeated by your ballots, they have since consorted with your enemies for the purpose of defeating your will, solemnly expressed at the ballot box. By these acts they have shown that they do not love the great and beneficent priciples of our party, and that the wishes of the people are not to be regarded by them. All that is dear to them is personal revenge and spoils.

Not in anger, but with shame, we inform you that some of your representatives in the general assembly have joined in this unholy compact, and there is danger that they will disregard your wishes and expressed instructions.

We, therefore, call upon you to assemble and consult as to how our state can be saved from the infamy and to petition your representatives by your presence and by your words to faithfully perform the duty which you imposed upon them.

By order of the committee,

GEORGE K. NASH, Chairman,
JOHN R. MALLOY, Secretary,
W. F. BURDELL, Treasurer,
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Mr. A. W. Sharper of 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows. "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes gave temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed this to my sedentary habits, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual fact."

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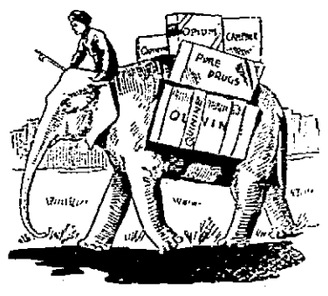

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THE HEAVY GUNS

Of the House Turned on the Civil Service Law.

EXHAUSTIVE SPEECHES ARE MADE

General Grosvenor of Ohio Led the Onslaught, While Congressman Johnson of Indiana Put Up a Vigorous Defense of the Measure—Opposition Got Applause From the Gallery.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The friends and enemies of the civil service law exchanged broadsides in the house. The heaviest guns on each side were brought into action. Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio and Mr. Johnson of Indiana each made exhaustive speeches and kept their respective sides in a constant furore.

The interest in the debate was much more lively than Wednesday. The crowded galleries, which were plainly in sympathy with the opponents of the law, became so very noisy in their demonstrations of approval at one juncture that the chair was compelled to call them to order.

Mr. Johnson was warmly sustained by the friends of the law on the floor, but he got very little applause from the galleries. Mr. Grosvenor did not define his attitude in detail, but gave his adhesion to the bill agreed on by the opponents of the law in caucus, and warned his colleagues that unless modifications of the law were made he and his friends would by co-operation find a way to completely destroy it. Mr. Loyd of Missouri was the only other speaker. He favored the repeal of the law.

In the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 7.—While the senate was in session two hours, practically no business was transacted beyond the passage of a few bills. Among the measures which received favorable consideration were the bills providing for a congress of the representatives of the Indian tribes of the United States, to be held at Omaha during the progress of the international exposition this year; bills providing for the erection of public buildings at Fergus Falls, Minn., and Newport News, Va., and a measure to protect the name and insignia of the Red Cross society. At 2 p. m. the senate adjourned for the day.

England Will Lead.

Washington, Jan. 7.—While other nations were lodging complaints against the terms of the Dingley tariff act and of the very limited advantages offered by the reciprocity clauses, the British embassy has been at work quietly carrying on negotiations for a series of treaties extending the benefits of so much reciprocity as may be obtained under the act to the British possessions in the West Indies.

The Reindeer Coming.

Washington, Jan. 7.—A cablegram received at the war department from Lieutenant Devore, who was sent to Europe to secure reindeer for the Klondike relief expedition, said that a steamer had been chartered for the transportation of the reindeer to the United States, and it was expected that the party would be able to sail for New York on the 20th inst.

To Increase Military Force.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The senate committee on military affairs ordered a favorable report on the bill increasing the military force of the country to the extent of two regiments of artillery. The purpose of the bill is to afford a sufficient number of men to protect the new guns and mortars which are being put in place.

No Steps Taken.

Washington, Jan. 7.—It is stated on good authority that up to this time the governmen has taken no steps looking to the initiation of proceedings in foreclosure against the Central Pacific railway, which is said to have defaulted in its payments to the government on Jan. 1.

Eight Revenue Cutters.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Senator Frye introduced a bill authorizing the secretary of the treasury to have eight vessels constructed for the use of the revenue cutter service, four of them to cost $160,000 each, one of them to cost $[illegible],000, and the other three $45,000 each.

To Be Given a Hearing.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The house committee on banking and currency made arrangements to hear representatives of the Indianapolis monetary commission on Jan. 12 relative to the bill for currency reform prepared by that body.

Turf Winners.

At New Orleans—J. A. Gray, Tabouet, Brakeman, Sister Stella, Dr. Sheppard.

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NINTH CONVENTION.

Ohio Miners Meet With Unusually Large Attendance.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—The ninth annual convention of Ohio miners is in session here. The attendance is larger than at any previous meeting.

The chief feature of the first day was the address of President Farms, which contains many important suggestions.

Blown Into Eternity.

Booth, O., Jan. 7.—Steven Wilson, an oilwell shooter, and a team of horses were blown into eternity by the explosion of 1,500 pounds of nitroglycerin. Not a fragment of man or horses could be found, and it is presumed they were reduced to alkahest.

Couldn't Get Married.

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 7.—Oscar Boren and Sadie Davis, each under 18, tried to get married, but failed. They then went to living together anyhow. They have been arrested.

Life Had Lost Its Charms.

Batavia, O., Jan. 7.—Charles Atchley, 26, suicided by shooting in the presence of his mother and other members of the family.

He Needed Money.

Bucyrus, O., Jan. 7.—J. H. West, treasurer of Liberty township, suicided by hanging. Financial trouble was the cause.

Injuries Proved Fatal.

London, O., Jan. 7.—Thomas Cavanaugh, one of the young men struck by a Panhandle engine, is dead.

Result of a Pool.

Pittsburg, Jan. 7.—An advance of $1 a ton for beams has resulted from the formation of the beam pool.

Assaulted a Woman.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 7.—Thomas Collins shot George Howells for assaulting the latter's wife.

Bigamist Indicted.

Upper Sandusky, O., Jan. 7.—Hi Sidney, the alleged eight-time bigamist, has been indicted.

Tired of Life.

Defiance, O., Jan. 7.—William C. Cleveland, farmer, suicided by shooting himself.

Drank Carbolic Acid.

Salem, O., Jan. 7.—The wife of A. L. Rutter suicided by drinking carbolic acid.

Run Down by a Train.

Newark, O., Jan. 7.—Morgan Jones was run down and killed by a train here.

Gored by a Bull.

Tiffin, O., Jan. 7.—M. E. Seigley was seriously gored by a bull.

Will Appeal to Congress.

Milwaukee, Jan. 7.—Owing to the failure of the interstate commerce commission to hand down its decisions in the hearing of the Milwaukee chamber of commerce against several railroads, in which alleged discriminating rates were charged, the chamber of commerce threatens to appeal to congress and have an investigation of the interstate commerce commission.

Charged With Perjury.

New York, Jan. 7.—A warrant charging Actor Ratcliffe with perjury was secured. It was alleged that he had committed the offense in swearing on his trial for assault on his wife that he had not been married previously.

The Plague Record.

Bombay, Jan. 7.—The plague returns for the past 48 hours record 142 new cases and 105 deaths. There is a general exodus of the population, and a suspension of business is threatened.

Columbia Theater Burned.

San Francisco, Jan. 7.—The Columbia theater was gutted by fire and is a total loss. The fire was confined to the theater building. No one was injured.

Crooked Express Employe.

New York, Jan. 7.—A package containing $30,000 was stolen from the American Express company's office here by Clark Braden, night clerk.

Farmer Fatally Crushed.

Greencastle, Ind., Jan. 7.—Moses Taylor, farmer, was fatally crushed, north of this city, while felling trees. A large trunk fell across his body.

Met a Deserved Fate.

Atlanta, Jan. 7.—Tom Cyrus, the negro convicted of the murder of Annie Johnson, a servant of Georgia's chief executive, was hanged at noon.

Weavers Will Strike.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 7.—The weavers of this city informally voted to strike on Jan. 17, the date on which the cut-down takes effect.

Mrs. Booth Improving.

New York, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Ballington Booth, at the Presbyterian hospital, is said to be slowly improving.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

J. B. Wall, at Princeton, Ky., married his stepsister, Julia Watkins.

Albert Hoff is held in San Francisco for murdering Mrs. Mary Clute.

Thomas, alias "Kid" Murphy, was shot and killed in a Chicago saloon.

On account of superstition sailors object to married women christening ships.

Hibbard, local manager of the Richmond (Ind.) Grain and Stock Exchange, is missing with $800.

At Terre Haute, Ind., George McHenry squandered his wife's fortune, and she now sues for divorce.

At Elwood, Ind., the 5-year-old daughter of Lon Hine poured carbolic acid into baby's eyes, destroying the sight.

Silas In New York.

A figure that was for a time familiar in up town streets has now appeared down town. It is that of a man in the garb of a countryman carrying an old fashioned valise, upon which an advertisement is painted. Up town he returned at intervals to the shore he came from, looked up at the sign over the door and then walked in, to start out again presently on another round.

Down town he carries two valises, a small, flat valise of the alligator mouth kind, upon the side of which is marked the name "Silas." The other, a big, square, glazed valise, bears the name and announcement of a down town hotel.

Silas, wearing clothes from way back, his trousers tucked in his boots, and a red bandanna around his neck, smooth faced and wearing spectacles, and with a look of profound innocence upon his countenance, wanders about through the busy streets in the lower part of the city. He attracts attention, and that is his business. Incidentally he adds one to the many odd, picturesque and interesting features of the city's varied show.—New York Sun.

Family Compliments.

"You're no longer a spring chicken," sneered the angry husband.

"But you're the same old goose," came the answer with a snap.—Detroit Free Press.

Experts have come to the conclusion that what kills trees in London is not the soot flakes nor the want of air nor the drought, but the sewer gas, which attacks the roots, so that the tree soon withers and dies.

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SHORT FICTION

In addition to the three long serial stories, the publication of which will continue during the entire year, there will be short stories of every kind, of which it is only possible to mention a few titles here.

Hunt, the Owler — By STANLEY J. WEYMAN
The Blockaders — By JAMES BARNES
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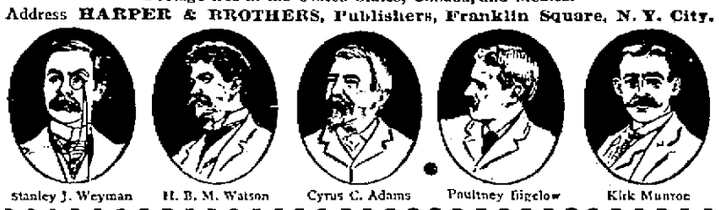

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French Kisses, per lb	10 c
French Creams Fancy, per lb	12 c
Cocoanut Bon Bons, per lb	12½c
Chocolate Drops Best per lb	15 c
Fancy Selected Mixed Best in Portsmouth	18 c

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Filberts X X X	10 c
Cream Nuts Fancy Large	10 c
Pecans X X X	10 c
Almonds Tenagarias	15 c
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175 West Second street.

A JOLLY LOT

Will Sheriff Rickey Soon Have Registered at His Hotel.

Wholesale Indictment of Saloon Keepers and Gamblers.

Doc Abbott the Worst Indicted Man and Most Wanted—List of the Unfortunate Includes Helt, Jones, Cropper, Asche, O'Hara, Reider, Ray, Russ, Hunster, Jeffords Englerts et al. et al.

Sheriff Rickey and his deputies started out with a basket this morning. It was filled with warrants on indictments, returned by the garnd jury. Of the fifty-nine indictment, it now develops that nearly all of them are against saloon keepers.

Probably the worst indicted man of the lot is the notorious Doc Abbott, of the Lodge Cafe It is not known just how many indictments have been returned against him, as none of them have been made public yet. It is reported that Doc. has left for parts unknown. The sheriff is not on his trail and proposes to follow him to the end of the earth, if necessary. The indictments cover all sorts of misdemeanors and offenses, from mal-practice of medicine down to keeping and participating in all sorts of gambling.

Fourteen indictments were returned against Geo. Helt, the Chillicothe street ex-saloon keeper. Twelve are for running a poker game and other gambling, and two for selling on Sunday.

"Flick" Jones, who bought out the Helt saloon a short time ago, has ten indictments against him—two for selling on Sunday, six for suffering poker game and two for keeping a gambling house.

Corney Jeffords, of West Second street, was indicted on three offenses. Two are for keeping open on Sunday and one for selling to a minor.

Nora Hunster and her bar-keeper, A. Russ, will have to answer to three indictments each—selling to minor and keeping open on Sunday.

Wm. Asche, Jr., John O'Hara, Geo. Freshell, Fred Reider and John Snider are each indicted on one charge—keeping open on Sunday.

There are also several indictments against Mrs. Englert, of the Lodge, and her bar-keeper, W. Turney.

Blanch Baum and Louis Buam were also indicted for keeping open on Sunday.

W. Ray has two indictments against him, keeping open on Sunday and selling liquor to a minor.

There are three indictments against Jack Cropper, covering gambling and keeping open on Sunday.

There are about ten indictments against different persons for participating in crap and poker games.

All of the parties above named as indicted entered their appearance in court today and gave bond in the sum of $200 for their appearance tomorrow morning at nine o'clock, when all will be arraigned and given an opportunity to enter pleas.

PROBATE RECORD.

The will of Minnie Louisa Birk has been probated. All property personal and real is bequeatqed to her minor son William O. Birk. In event of his death the property is to be divided equally between Wm. and Albert Havekotte, half brothers of Mrs. Birk. The latter is made guardian and William executor.

NEW SUIT.

Jennie Ford sues William Ford for relief. T. C. Anderson attorney. The suit grows out of a recent real estate transaction.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Jas. G. Basham, 35 and Lulu Pierce, 17 Sciotoville.

PETTY THIEVES

Have Stolen a Lot of Machinery From the Brushart Planing Mill Plant.

H. Leet & Co., have been moving out the machinery in the old Brushart Planing mill plant near the N. & W. depot. Thieves had been carrying the machinery away piece by piece, and a great deal of valuable machinery was lost in this way. Mr. Leet decided that to save the machinery he would either have to employ a watchman or move the machinery to his mill. The latter plan was adopted.

FOREVER BLIGHTED

Sadie Jones and Oscar Boren Sentenced to the Cincinnati Workhouse for Thirty Days.

Oscar Boren and Sadie Jones, who were arrested for fornication, were arraigned before Mayor Glidden today. Both pleaded guilty and the mayor sentenced each to pay $1 and costs and serve thirty days in the Cincinnati workhouse. The parents of the couple refused to give their consent to their marriage, and this was the only course open to the mayor.

To Begin Revival Services.

Rev. J. E. Updike will begin a series of revival services at the Christian church Sunday morning. He will be assisted by Mr. Harry S. Eaton, of Danville, Ill., as chorus leader and soloist. Rev. Updike is considered the strongest man the Christian church has ever secured to conduct their revival services and great things are expected of his coming.

Woodmen Meeting.

Modern Woodmen of America meet at K. of P. hall tonight. Installation of officers and banquet. Full attendance desired.

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

Intelligent women would not use baking powder containing alum if they knew it, no matter how cheap it might be.

Cheap baking powders sell because people do not know what is in them.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio—Warmer Saturday.

SCIOTOVILLE FIRE

Store of A. J. Stevens Damaged to the Extent of About $200.

The store of A. J. Stevens, at Sciotoville, was badly damaged by fire Tuesday. The blaze started in the back end of the store and had gained considerable headway before discovered. It required hard work by the bucket brigade to get the fire under control. Mr. Stevens' loss will be about $200. The property was insured in the Ohio Farmers' company.

Sixth Street Church Reception.

The ladies of Sixth Street church will receive their friends in the church parlors Tuesday, January 11th, from 6 to 10 p. m. They will have on exhibition and for sale a large and beautiful line of pictures by the most noted artists of the world—Edwin A. Abbey, Charles Dana Gibson, Howard Pyles, W. T. Smedley, Alice Barber Stephens, W. L. Taylor, Albert Lynch, etc. Hot coffee, ham sandwiches and other refreshments served all evening. Every body invited. Admission, free.

W. A. Plummer, of 295 Gallia street, pays cash for his granite, and it comes direct from the quarries, saving his customers the per cent of the middle man.

Representative Mac Is Not Certain.

Some one called up Floyd McCormick at Columbus by long distance telephone last night and inquired as to the chances of Marcus A. Of course Mac said everything looked rosy, but the interview was not altogether satisfactory. If Mac can't say positively and swear beyond the shadow of a doubt that Hanna will win, things must be in bad shape.

Use "Superior" Canned Corn.

For five wrappers we will send you free our booklet, "How to Cook Canned Goods." SEARS & NICHOLS.

Notice.

The directors of the Scioto County Agricultural society will meet Saturday, January 29th, 1898, to elect officers for the ensuing year.

7-3t H. C. FEURT, Sec'y.

When you can not sleep for coughing take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always gives prompt relief. It is most excellent for colds, too, as it aids expectoration, relieves the lungs and prevents any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Fisher & Streich, Druggists.

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Reduced Prices.

A good time to buy a Waist, Skirt or Dress Pattern. We have a very large and handsome line to select from.

A lot of roman stripe and figured Silks, were 75c, now 50c.

A lot of brocade fancy Silks, were 69c, now 59c.

A large line of fancy Silks, were $1.00, now 69c.

One lot of fancy Silks, were $1.00, now 79c.

One lot of fancy Silks, were $1.25, now 79c.

One lot of fancy Silks, were $1.40, now 98c.

One lot of black brocade Silks, special, 59c.

Great bargains in all kinds of Dress Goods, by the yard and in pattern lengths.

Special bargains in Underwear and Hosiery.

Millinery.

Handsome Trimmed Hats at Half Price. Sailors and Walking Hats greatly reduced.

Jackets and Capes.

A fine assortment and the prices are within your reach.

G. W. Anderson & Sons,

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He keeps all these things on hand and his prices will suit you.

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To buy a new Ledger, Day Book or some kind of an account book. We offer Blank Books of all sizes and kinds very cheap. The best Inks and Stationery for private and office use. Tablets and Box Paper from 5c to 50c. Books and Magazines, the best and most instructive reading from 5c upward. Bibles, good print and bindings, cheap. Files. All kinds of Games for young and old.

Schloss & Co.,

414 Chillicothe Street.

The Slim Pocket Book

Takes a new dignity at the beginning of the new year at the Parisian. Our startling price reductions have more than doubled its buying power. You'll be surprised how far a little money goes now in buying a good Cape or Jacket. We must clean out our entire stock of Capes and Jackets and if low prices will do it we will surely sell every garment in the house, for they are the greatest tempting prices you will ever see.

Beaver Cloth Jackets, all wool, sold for	$4.00, cut to	$2.50
Rough Cloth Jackets, silk faced, sold for	5.00, cut to	3.75
Astrakhan Cloth Jackets, silk lined, sold for	7.50, cut to	5.00
Kersey Cloth Jackets, silk faced, sold for	7.50, cut to	5.00
Cloth Capes, fur trimmed, sold for	1.00, cut to	.65
Boucle Cloth Capes, all lined, thibet fur trimmed, sold for	3.50, cut to	1.98
Beaver Cloth Double Cape, thibet fur trimmed, sold for	3.98, cut to	2.50

Plush and Fur Capes at greatly reduced prices. Come early and get first choice of these bargains. Not a wrap in the house but what has been reduced within your reach.

Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co.,

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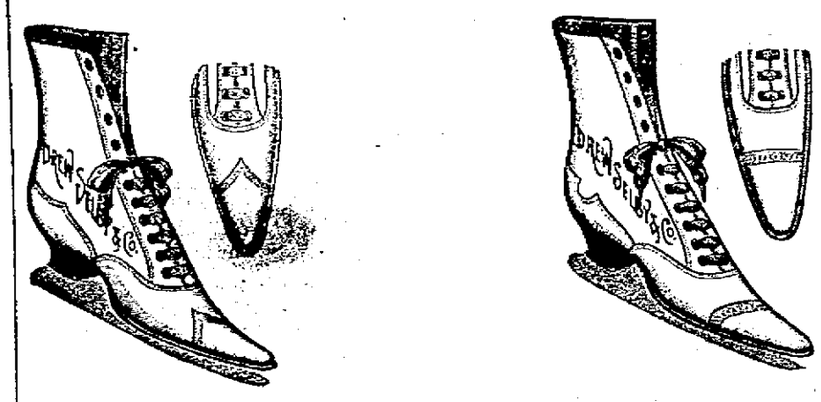

FOUR SPECIALS

In Ladies' Shoes for This Week.

We have just finished our invoice and find we have too many Ladies' Heavy Shoes for this season of the year, so have put prices on them that will make them move out quickly.

Lot 1.

Ladies' Box Calf Lace Shoes, welt sole, double sole and invisible cork soles. New coin toes. Former price, $3.00. Now..... $2.50

Lot 2.

Ladies' Box Calf Lace Shoes, welt soles, new coin toes. Former price, $2.50; now..... $2.25

Lot 3.

Ladies' Russia Calf Lace Shoes, welt soles, new coin toes. Former price, $2.50; now..... $2.25

Lot 4.

Ladies' Dongola Kid Button, welt soles, common sense toes, with patent leather tips. Former price $2.50; now..... $2.25

These Lots are New, Fresh Goods, and all This Season's Styles.

Anderson Bros.,

Home Factory Shoe Stores,

109 West Second Street. 603 Chillicothe Street.

Ladies' Underwear.

Ladies' Fleece Lined, 2 for 25c.
Ladies' Fleece Lined, 25c and 50c a suit.
Children's Underwear at all prices.

Gents' Underwear.

Lot No. 1, 50c a suit.
Lot No. 2, $1.00 a suit.
Flannel Skirts, all wool, full size, 50c apiece.
Table Linens, red, 15c, 25c and 35c.
Bleached and unbleached, 24c, 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Prize Winners.

Mrs. Chas. Rauch, 1st prize, guess 6113
Miss Clara Nugent, 2nd prize, guess 6107
Mrs. A. Moore, 3rd prize, guess 6123.

The winners are requested to bring cards and receive their prizes.

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Seldom fails to give immediate and permanent relief. Use one bottle and you will give up the hack business. A cough, if not stopped in its first stages, often leads to consumption.

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